

**Mothers Club Presents
Black and Gold Ball
At Los Verdes Dec. 3**

White poinsettias, red candles flecked with gold, and red satin bows will set the holiday mood for the eighth annual Black and Gold Ball, sponsored by the Bishop Montgomery High School Mothers Club.

The gala social event, a dinner-dance, will be held at the Los Verdes Country Club, Palos Verdes Peninsula on Saturday, Dec. 3.

Mrs. Robert Lewellen, first vice-president of the Mothers Club, who is serving as general chairman of the Ball has announced that the evening will begin with cocktails at 7 with a "gourmet's delight" dinner at 8 p.m. Dancing to the music of the "Moonglows" will be enjoyed from 9 until 1 a.m.

Committee chairmen assisting Mrs. Lewellen are Mmes. M. L. Erickson, invitations; Louis Fucci, decorations; Clifford Barnes, hostesses; and Clarence Van Lingen, publicity. Guests will be greeted by Mrs. Frederick Brierley, president.

The Black and Gold Ball is an annual tradition held to welcome the parents of the new students and to introduce them to the parents of returning students.



ON THE HOLIDAY FASHION SCENE

Glittering fashions to make their bow in the whirl of Yuletide social events are modeled here by Mr. and Mrs. Keith Pischel, who will introduce these party creations at the Women's Club's "Holidays in Style" dinner and show at Los Verdes Country Club on Wednesday Dec. 7. The gala benefit will begin with cocktails at 6 p.m. followed by dinner and the fashion parade. Mrs. J. P. Bay or Mrs. Ted Olson may be called for reservation through Saturday, Dec. 5. (Press-Herald Photo)

**Torrance Woman's Club Presents
Gala Yule Fashion Event**

Glamorous fashions for the winter social season will be spotlighted at the Torrance Woman's Club Dinner and Fashion Show at the Los Verdes Country Club, Palos Verdes Peninsula, on Wednesday evening, Dec. 7.

Holiday attire for both men and women will be shown from two Del Amo Shopping Center shops. Mrs. H. F. Heinlein will serve as commentator.

Models include Messrs. and Mmes. Keith Pischel, William Paulds, and Leroy Pulliam. Also parading the newest holiday creations will be Mrs. Jack C. Dean and Mrs. Hugh Cahill.

Tables will be decorated with miniature white Christmas trees, decorated with artificial roses in shades of pink and red, accented with silver glitter.

Club members and their guests will gather at 6 p.m.

for the cocktail hour, which will be followed by a catered dinner. During the dinner hour and fashion show numerous door prizes will be awarded.

Mrs. Joseph B. Bay is serving as general chairman of the benefit. Mrs. H. T. Olson is handling the door prizes and Mrs. Andrew Acampora is in charge of the decorating. Mrs. H. F. Heinlein is in charge of the program.

Club philanthropies benefiting from the Christmas dinner and fashion show will be the American Field Service, education scholarships fund for high school seniors; Girls' State; Torrance YMCA and YWCA.

Deadline for ticket reservations is next Saturday, Dec. 3. Those desiring tickets or more information are asked to call Mrs. J. P. Day or Mrs. H. T. Olson.



GREETING THE HOLIDAY SEASON

Victor Woman's Club will stage its semi-formal Christmas dinner dance at the Hunting Horn on Palos Verdes Peninsula Friday evening beginning at 6 p.m. with cocktails. "The Esquires" will furnish music for dancing following the 8:30 p.m. dinner. Planning decorations and what they will wear are, from left, Mrs. John Stone, looking for ideas in a magazine while Mrs. John Reinhold, president, shows her dress to Mrs. Don Sayer, decorations chairman. Mrs. Richard Young is serving as general chairman. (Press-Herald Photo)



WHAT MILADY WILL WEAR

Mrs. Louis Fucci, left, decorations chairman, and Mrs. Robert Lewellen, dance chairman show the gowns they have chosen to wear to the Black and Gold Ball to Mrs. Frederick Brierley, president of the Mothers' Club, and Mrs. Clarence Van Lingen, publicity chairman. The Ball, sponsored by the Bishop Montgomery Mothers' Club will be a gala social event at Los Verdes Country Club Saturday, Dec. 3. There will be cocktails at 6, dinner at 8 and an evening of dancing.

(Press-Herald Photo)

**Old Fashion Christmas Theme
Vecinas Ball**

Las Vecinas Woman's Club will herald the holiday season with an "Old Fashion Christmas Ball" at the Palos Verdes Country Club on Saturday evening, Dec. 10, under the general chairmanship of Mrs. Edward Ackerman.

Members, their husbands and guests will gather at 8 p.m. for the "cup of cheer" hour. Dinner will be served at 9 p.m. and Leon Guide and his orchestra will begin the dance music at 9:50. The last dance will be at 1:30 a.m.

Mrs. Ernest K. Walker is heading the hostess committee. Mrs. Robert Gripe is in charge of decorations and Mrs. Richard Cass is her co-chairman. They are being assisted by Mrs. Robert J. Hein and Mrs. Frederick Wood.

Additional information and reservations may be secured by calling Mrs. John D. Perkins or Mrs. William M. Bricken.



LOOKS A LOT LIKE CHRISTMAS

Mrs. Edward Ackerman, left, chairman of Las Vecinas' "Old Fashion Christmas Ball" to be held Dec. 10 at the Palos Verdes Country Club, tells the Santa Claus story to Linda Lee, daughter of a member, while in the background, Mrs. Robert Gripe, decorations chairman, shows a miniature Santa to Mrs. William Culp, hostess, and Mrs. John D. Perkins, ticket chairman. Cocktails, dinner and dancing to the Leon Guide orchestra are slated. Reservations may be made with Mrs. John D. Perkins or Mrs. William M. Bricken. (Press-Herald Photo)

**Sending Christmas Cards?
Remember Boys in Viet Nam**

Americanism Chairman, Mrs. Gerald Carter, of the Redondo Beach Dianas is requesting all Dianans and everyone to send a Christmas card with a short note inside to the Armed Forces in Viet Nam. The cards should be addressed to Mail Call Viet Nam, P.O. Box 41, Santa Monica, California and they will be forwarded. This should be done immediately.

Mrs. Carter states other Americanism projects include gifts to be taken to the Long Beach Veterans Hospital for Christmas and contributions made toward the expense of organizing, training, equipping, transporting and housing the United States 1968 Olympic team.

**Yule Bazaar
At Hospital
Set Dec. 1-2**

Doctors dining room at the Little Company of Mary Hospital has been transformed into a Christmas Fantasyland for the Auxiliaries' Holiday Bazaar to be held tomorrow and Friday, Dec. 1 and 2 from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. both days.

On sale are outstanding Christmas decorations, gift items and homemade candies and baked goods, in Mrs. Santa's Pantry, staffed by the Junior Auxiliary.

Mrs. Arthur Grayson, bazaar chairman, invites the public to attend. Proceeds will be used to purchase x-ray equipment for the hospital.

Future Bride

McManus - Engelhardt

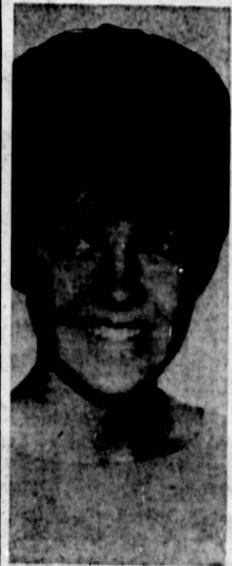
At a tea given Sunday afternoon Nov. 20 by Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Kevin McManus, 3510 228th St. and attended by more than 100 relatives and friends from over the southland, the engagement of their daughter, Sheila, to Thomas Edward Engelhardt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Enfield of Fontana, was announced.

The lace covered tea table was set in silver and white and was centered with an arrangement of white chrysanthemums, and foliage made by Mrs. Quinton Johnson. Presiding at the silver tea service were Mrs. Verda Zeidman, aunt of the future bride, and Miss Karen Hickox.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Bishop Montgomery High School and attended a Long Beach Dental Assistants school. She is employed by a local dentist.

Her fiance, a graduate of Redondo High, attended El Camino College for two years. He is now studying at Long Beach State College majoring in anthropology.

The wedding will be solemnized at a nuptial mass at the St. James Catholic Church in Redondo at 10 a.m. on Saturday, Jan. 2d.



SHEILA McMANUS